

Customer No. 28596
Attorney Docket No. GK/57

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Dove) Group Art Unit: 3673
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Serial No.: 10/823,512) Examiner: Alison K. Pickard
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Filed: April 13, 2004) Conf. No.: 3277
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For: Coil Gasket)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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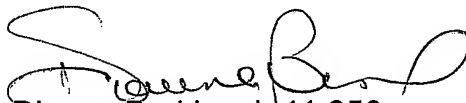
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for three (3) months, to and including October 10, 2007, be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a) in order to extend the period for response to the outstanding rejection of April 10, 2007.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the required fee, and for any additional charges that may be incurred.

Respectfully submitted,


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